

22390 U.S.PTO  
10/718406



## NYDEGGER & ASSOCIATES

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

NEIL K. NYDEGGER

348 OLIVE STREET  
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA 92103

email@nydegger.com

TELEPHONE  
(619) 688-1300  
FACSIMILE  
(619) 688-1322

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Mail Stop Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Josef Bille for HIGH RESOLUTION IMAGING FOR DIAGNOSTIC EVALUATION OF THE FUNDUS OF THE HUMAN EYE, comprising nineteen (19) pages of specification and claims, and a signed Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Enclosed also are:

three (3) sheets of drawings.

A Certified copy of an \_\_\_\_\_ application.

An Associate Power of Attorney.

A Certificate of Mailing by "Express Mail" certifying a filing date of November 20, 2003 by use of Express Mail Label No. EL 798 273 433 US.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below.

FOR:	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
				Fee	OR	Rate	Fee
BASIC FEE				\$385			\$770
TOT. CLMS.	32 -	20 = 12	x 9 =	\$108	OR	x18 =	\$
INDEP. CLMS.	3 -	3 = 0	x43 =	\$	OR	x86 =	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED			+145 =	\$	OR	+290 =	\$
				TOTAL \$493	OR		TOTAL \$

Please debit Deposit Account No. 14-1519 in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the government filing fee. Triplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

A check in the amount of \$493.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1519, pertaining to i) any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16; ii) any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Copies in triplicate of this sheet are enclosed.

Any additional extension of time required for the timely submission of this paper, the fees for which have not been previously paid, is hereby petitioned and requested.

Please address all future correspondence in connection with the above-identified patent application to the attention of the undersigned.

Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



NEIL K. NYDEGGER  
Attorney for Applicant  
Registration No. 30,202

NYDEGGER & ASSOCIATES  
348 Olive Street  
San Diego, California 92103  
Telephone: (619) 688-1300  
Facsimile: (619) 688-1322

PATENT

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL"

"Express Mail" Mailing Label No.: EL 798 273 433 US

Date of Deposit:: November 20, 2003

I hereby certify that this utility Patent Application, including claims and drawings, in the name of Josef Bille, for HIGH RESOLUTION IMAGING FOR DIAGNOSTIC EVALUATION OF THE FUNDUS OF THE HUMAN EYE, a Declaration, Power of Attorney, and Petition, and Check No. 16531 in the amount of \$493.00 are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

Dated this 20th day of November, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



DEBRA D. BURNS  
Legal Document Assistant

NYDEGGER & ASSOCIATES  
348 Olive Street  
San Diego, California 92103  
Telephone: (619) 688-1300

expmailcert  
Docket: 11126.6